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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :  
David J. DALL :  
Serial No.: Group Art Unit: to be assigned  
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For: PLANTS AND FEED BAITS FOR CONTROLLING DAMAGE FROM  
FEEDING INSECTS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

A1

3. A plant according to claim 1 which expresses a fusolin protein.

A2

5. A plant according to claim 1 which expresses a fusolin-like protein.

A3

7. A plant according to claim 1 which further expresses an exogenous toxin or other agent that is deleterious to insects.

A4

11. A feed bait composition according to claim 9 wherein the one or more constituent protein(s) is a fusolin protein.

A5

13. A feed bait composition according to claim 9 wherein the one or more constituent protein(s) is a fusolin-like protein.